COMMUNITY SAFETY

INSPECTIONAL SERVICES

The Inspectional Services Department is responsible for enforcement of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Building, Electrical, and Plumbing & Gas Codes, as well as all related regulations, standards and Town Bylaws. Additionally, the Inspectional Services Department implements strategic projects as assigned by the Town Manager.

Accomplishments for 2007 were:

- Permit issuance for Germaine Lawrence eighteen bed treatment center
- Demolition and foundation permit commencement for Symmes Hospital site
- · Expansion of web based permit access
- Permits were issued for five new single-family homes and two new two-family homes

In 2007, the Inspectional Services Department issued a total of 3,744 permits of which 1,162 were Building permits, 795 were Plumbing permits, 700 were Gas permits and 1,087 were Wiring permits. Total fees collected by the Inspectional Services Department in 2007 were \$ 714,047.00